THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) and (b) Central Government has agreed to examine the proposals made by Nepal regarding Indo-Nepal Water Resources Projects. These proposals concern utilisation of water for irrigation and hydropower.

Irrigation Projects in the Tribal Areas of Orissa

6697. SHRI BHAGABAN MAJHI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether some irrigation projects are under implementation in the tribal areas of Orissa ;

(b) if so, the major and medium irrigation projects which are being implemented in those tribal sub plan area;

(c) the progress made in the completion of those projects;

(d) the irrigation potential of each of those projects; and

(e) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (e) A Statement is attached.

Statement

Details of Ongoing Major Medium Irrigation Projects being implemented under Tribal Area Sub-Plan in Orissa

Name of the Project	Latest estimated cost	Expenditure upto March, 95 (anticipated)	Ultimate Irrigation Potential	Potential created till March, 95 (anticipated)
	(Rs. crores)	(Rs. crores)	(Thousand Hectares)	
A. *Major Projects :*				
1. Upper Kolab	157.97	148.39	88.76	57.92
2. Subernarekha (Inter-State)	1013.68	234.26	176.50	..
3. Kanpur	268.65	10.87	41.40	..
4. Potteru Irrigation	102.89	91.21	109.88	44.17
B. *Medium Projects :*				
1. Harbhangi	93.82	61.94	15.97	..
2. Badanalla	91.75	67.87	13.74	4.00
3. Deo	52.23	7.92	15.64	..
4. Baghlati*	45.44	6.25	6.05	..
5. Titlagarh	21.13	2.30	3.03	..
6. Rukura	24.94	0.09	7.64	..
7. Telengir	53.80	0.25	13.78	..
8. Satiguda	4.52	3.99	13.59	11.81

* This Project, though benefits shown under Tribal Area Sub-Plan of the State Government's Annual Plan, 1995-96, it tribal areas, has not been